

REMARKS

Entry of the instant Amendment and favorable consideration on the merits are respectfully requested.

In response to the Office Communication dated November 9, 2010, Applicants provide herewith the following substitute specification (clean and marked-up copies), and substitute sequence listing (paper and computer readable form).

It is requested that the application be examined on the basis of the specification as amended. Early and favorable consideration with respect to this application is respectfully requested.

Should any questions arise in connection with this application, the undersigned respectfully requests that he be contacted at the number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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